



MR. AND MRS. LESLIE C. FOSTER

Foster-Roberts Ceremony Attended by 350 Guests

Calvary Church of the Brethren, Los Angeles, was the setting for the Sunday afternoon ceremony which united in marriage Miss Marian Joy Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Roberts of Los Angeles, and Leslie Carlyle Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Foster of 911 Cota avenue. Rev. H. L. Ruthrauff, pastor, officiated in the presence of 350 wedding guests.

The bride's gown of white organdy with embroidered detail was fashioned with full skirt and long train. Gauntlets of organdy matched her gown and her fingertip veil of illusion was draped from a tiny cap of the same material. She carried a nosegay bouquet of Cecile Brunner roses surrounded by white sweet peas.

Miss Nadine Roberts was her sister's maid of honor in white organdy over pink taffeta, and the bridesmaids, Mrs. Robert Farmer, Mrs. Paul Jenican, and Miss Jean Johnson, were gowned alike in white organdy over pastel green taffeta. All the bridal attendants carried nosegays of Shasta daisies.

Walter C. Foster attended his brother as best man and ushers were Robert Farmer, George Post, and George Lee.

Earl Potter, soloist, sang "Walk With Love," "Because"

Square Dance Set June 3 by Bethel 50

Saturday evening, June 3, has been set by Torrance Bethel 50 for a square dance, to begin at 7 o'clock in First Christian Church social rooms.

Other affairs arranged as closing activities of Miss Pat Clere's term as honored queen, include a miniature golf party last Friday evening, and a trip to Knott's Berry Farm at noon Saturday, May 27.

The progressive dinner, a most successful and enjoyable affair for the Bethel, was attended by 24 Job's Daughters, 10 Mothers Club members, and two Council members.

Miss Beverly Luster, honored queen-elect, has announced her installation rehearsal dates at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, June 3, and the final rehearsal, Sunday, June 11, at 1:30 o'clock.

Luncheon Compliments Executives

Browers, Long Beach, was the setting for an enjoyable luncheon given recently to honor executives of Welcome Wagon Company, national organization.

Guests of honor included Mrs. Neal Dowd of Memphis, Tenn., vice president; and Mrs. Dorothy Parrish of Hollywood, co-director Western Division office. Hostesses were Mrs. Helen Mitchell of this city, and Mesdames Mildred Farrar and Dorothy Nicholson, Lakewood; Mrs. Margaret Jory, Bixby Knolls; Mrs. Thelma Brown, and Mrs. Mariem Needles of Bellflower.

Floral decorations used for the luncheon table were presented through the courtesy of Flowers by Nadine.

Awards For Fern PTA Cub Pack

Last meeting before adjournment until next fall was held Friday by Pack 728 sponsored by the Fern Avenue PTA.

The meeting was opened with the flag salute led by Den 4. Awards were earned by Gary Porter, who received his Wolf Badge; a Gold and Silver Arrow went to Henry Hinds, a Bear Badge; and Danner Stripes were presented to Warren Underwood of Den 2, Dal Derouin of Den 3, and Jack Wixom of Den 4. Richard Johnson received his membership card.

Several numbers were sung by Den 3, and a humorous skit was given by Den 2.

R. D. Wollard announced that he would accept the responsibility of being Cubmaster in the absence of Mr. Hammond, and P. Underwood will be the new committee chairman.

The Pack Charter was shown, and it was announced that Den 3, of which Mrs. G. J. Derouin and Mrs. J. Hinds are the Den Mothers, had won the paper drive. A beach party will be given for them sometime in the near future.

A Pack picnic is planned for 4:30 p.m. Saturday, June 10, at the Lomita Park. It is requested that each person bring his own lunch and service. Prizes for games will be given, and parents of Cubs are invited.

The meeting was closed with the friendship clasp by Den 2 and Den 3.

PRESENT AWARDS AT BANQUET

The second annual Mother and Daughter banquet sponsored by the women of the Missionary Society of First Lutheran Church was held Friday evening, May 26. One hundred and twenty-two mothers and daughters enjoyed the dinner and evening of entertainment with Mrs. Chris Dobrick as toastmistress and Alpha Stremplek as song leader.

Awards were presented to the following: Mrs. Belle H. Taylor, the oldest mother present; Mrs. William Guthrie, the youngest mother, and Barbara Ann Turvill, as the youngest daughter.

A large amount of money was gathered in the offering which will be used to help educate a native boy of India to work in the Mission field, a project which the women began at the last year's banquet.

Nativity School Plans Carnival for June 8

The Mothers Club of Nativity School will sponsor a carnival on June 8 at the school playground, 2731 West Carson street, proceeds of which will go toward completion of a new wing for the convent.

Opening at noon, the benefit affair will feature a special luncheon for children. Booths will be open until 3 p.m.

The carnival's evening session will start at 6 p.m. and will be highlighted by the coronation of a king and queen, chosen by penny vote from among First Graders.

Parents are reminded that Friday, June 2, is the pick-up day for the salvage drive, funds to be used in preparation for the children's carnival day luncheon.



RECEIVES APPOINTMENT . . . Miss Jeannette May Probert has accepted an appointment to the teaching staff of Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash. Miss Probert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Probert of 1428 El Prado, will graduate June 17 with a Bachelor of Science degree from University of Southern California, her father's alma mater. In her new position she will be instructor of physical education and recreation director.

Women's Activities

Mrs. B. T. Whitney, Staff To Be Installed by Club

Plans are being completed by Torrance Woman's Club for installation of Mrs. B. Taylor Whitney, president-elect, and her staff, who will be seated in impressive ceremonies Wednesday, June 7, in the clubhouse. Mrs. W. J. Laughon, junior past president, will serve as installing officer.

Other officers to be installed with Mrs. Whitney are:

Mesdames B. W. Roberts and A. M. Bingham, and J. E. Stewart, vice presidents; G. P. Boss, recording secretary; B. C. Buxton, corresponding secretary; Dean L. Sears, federation secretary; A. E. Ewalt, treasurer; E. L. Snodgrass, auditor; W. J. Laughon, parliamentarian; Bob L. Haggard, reservations; R. A. Bingham, ways and means chairman; and H. W. Irwin, year book chairman.

A catered luncheon will be served at 12:30 and at 2:00 o'clock, Jessie Jeffrey Wood, charming wife of Dr. Howard A. Wood, will present Mrs. Winifred M. Ruppel, soprano soloist, in a delightful program.

One of the most successful ways and means affairs of the year was the delightful brunch given Thursday at the beautiful Hollywood Riviera home of Mrs. W. J. Laughon.

Garden flowers decorated the rooms where serving tables were arranged for club members and their guests from Torrance, Palos Verdes, Hollywood Riviera, and South Bay cities.

Hostesses included Mrs. W. J. Laughon and Mrs. J. K. Burchfield, ways and means chairman, who supervised party arrangements, and Mrs. Dean L. Sears, club president and Mrs. Laughon's mother, Mrs. L. Ahrens, both of whom received the guests as they arrived.

Bridge and canasta play completed the enjoyable affair with Mrs. Delbert J. Thomsen and Miss Katherine Ortman as high score holders in the respective games.

Mrs. Burchfield wishes to express her appreciation to the following committee members who made possible the success of the affair:

Mmes. G. P. Boss and A. G. Sauer; Grover C. VanDeventer, R. A. Bingham, Frances Burton, Ruth Rogers, Roy Ashley, H. W. Irwin, Fred Cooper, C. P. Olson, Isabelle McLeod, C. M. Cook, George Sutton, Charles Sherwin, and J. K. Steinbaugh.

ATTEND PTA CONVENTION

Mrs. Samuel Dow, president, and Mrs. Evelyn Gauley, both of 188th Street PTA, attended the national convention in Long Beach Tuesday, May 23.

Mmes. Samuel Dow, D. W. TenEyck, Evelyn Gauley, Ernest Tanner, James Holdcroft and Leo Wagner attended the Gardena-Wilmington Council meeting and luncheon at the Presbyterian Church in Wilmington Friday, May 27. Gulf Avenue PTA members were hostesses.

Card Party Wednesday Set by YW

Plans are being completed for a Y-Team Camp and Conference fund benefit card party, scheduled for Wednesday evening, June 7, in St. Andrew's Episcopal Parish House on Engracia avenue.

YWCA Committee members, with Mrs. Leondrus Stamps, as chairman, are sponsoring the benefit affair.

Attractive game prizes and a five dollar grocery order door prize have been provided. Refreshments will be served.

Everyone is invited. Tickets may be procured at the door.

Second Son Arrives at Ray Home

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ray of 21127 S. Figueroa avenue are parents of their second son, Gary Dean, born May 22 at San Pedro Community Hospital.

The baby's brother Steven, 3, was waiting to welcome him when he returned home with his mother.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cottrell of the Figueroa avenue address.

VFW NAMES DELEGATES

Delegates from VFW Auxiliary to Post 3251 planning to attend the department convention in Santa Monica June 24-28 are Frankie Brown, president; Ann Warburton, and Mable Wiegand Moore. The unit also will be represented by other members at the conclave.

The VFW sponsored dances held in their clubhouse, Washington at Arlington avenues each Saturday evening are becoming increasingly popular. They are open to the public and there is no admission charge.

UTAH VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harshbarger of 1104 Acacia avenue returned Saturday from a week's vacation in Salt Lake City and Bountiful, Utah, where they visited relatives and friends.



MISS BARBARA VALENZUELA

Vincent Lovell to Marry Miss Barbara Valenzuela

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Valenzuela of 2262 Pasadena avenue, Long Beach, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara, to Mr. Vincent Gerald Lovell, Airman, USN, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. John J. Lovell of 1541 W. 215th street.

The bride-elect was graduated from St. Anthony's High School, Long Beach in 1948. Mr. Lovell received his diploma from Narbonne High School with the class of June '48 and presently is stationed at Alameda Naval Base.

FROM CHICAGO

A recent house guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bronson C. Buxton was Mrs. Edna Dunning of Chicago. Mrs. Buxton entertained her guest at a luncheon and a style show at Bullock's, Wilshire, during her visit.

AT ALFORD HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Forster were recent weekend guests at Orange, when they visited the J. W. Alford, formerly of Torrance.

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WBA Meeting Scheduled For June 6

Members of WBA Review 37 will hold a monthly meeting Tuesday evening, June 6 at 2322 El Dorado avenue.

All members are urged to attend. For further information, please call Torrance 2404-W.

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